Enfield Senior Center presents...

Springtime Tulip River Cruise

April 10 - 18, 2015



SPECIAL TRAVEL PRESENTATION

Date: Monday, May 12, 2014 Time: 4:00 PM Enfield Senior Center, 299 Elm St, Enfield, Connecticut, 06082-3907

For more information contact Enfield Senior Center (860) 763-7427 cmcguire@enfield.org



9 Days • 20 Meals: 7 Breakfasts, 6 Lunches, 7 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Amsterdam, 7-Night River Cruise, Volendam, Arnhem, Middelburg, Ghent, Bruges, Antwerp, Kinderdijk Windmills, Keukenhof Gardens

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1 Overnight Flight

Days 2 – 8 Lueftner Cruises, Innsbruck

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



"River Cruise" tours feature small, intimate vessels for a more personal experience as you travel through a variety of beautiful waterways. Day 1: Friday, April 10, 2015 Overnight Flight Savor springtime in Holland and Belgium with a cruise that is sure to leave truly memorable impressions. Admire the colorful glory of the blooming Dutch tulip fields and be astonished by the endless windmills. Winding waterways lead you to such well-known Belgian cities as Ghent and Antwerp. Your tulip time cruise begins with an overnight flight to Amsterdam, a city filled with classic architecture, cafés, restaurants and canals.

Day 2: Saturday, April 11, 2015 Amsterdam, Netherlands - Board Ship - Tour Begins Your tour opens in Amsterdam, the 800-year-old thriving capital of Holland. All aboard your ship as you unpack once for a relaxing 7-night river cruise. Your beautiful vessel offers the newest technology, panoramic deck, panorama bar, fitness center, delicious cuisine including regional wines with every dinner, and outstanding service. Tonight, a cocktail is served in the Panorama Bar offering you a chance to meet your fellow travelers before a lovely welcome dinner. Enjoy an overnight stay on the ship in Amsterdam. (D)

Day 3: Sunday, April 12, 2015 Amsterdam - Volendam After breakfast, absorb some of Amsterdam's most important sights and diverse architecture on a city tour. You will also get to see the city from the water during a delightful canal cruise. Mid-day you cruise to the little fishing town of Volendam where you can still find fishermen dressed in traditional caps and baggy-legged trousers. A visit to a local cheese farm illustrates the process of how cheese from the area is made and also allows you the opportunity to sample some of the delicious results! During dinner, the ship resumes its cruise to the Ijssel Sea. (B, L, D)

Day 4: Monday, April 13, 2015 Arnhem Late this morning you arrive in Arnhem, location of the favorite summer retreat of the Dutch royal family. This afternoon your journey continues passing by lovely Dutch scenery. (B, L, D)

Day 5: Tuesday, April 14, 2015 Middelburg - Cruising Today your ship docks in Middelburg, the capital of the Dutch province Zeeland. It is known as the "monumental city" because over 1,100 monuments dot its landscape. This afternoon you may choose to take an optional excursion to the Deltaworks Project located at Neeltje Jans. This is an amazing example of how the Dutch have truly tamed the environment in which they live. After the Deltaworks you will stop at the lovely town of Veere, a prosperous trading port in the Middle Ages due to the wool trade with Scotland and today, a favorite spot for visitors. (B, L, D)

Day 6: Wednesday, April 15, 2015 Ghent, Belgium - Bruges This morning you arrive in the Imperial city of Ghent. Lined with typical patrician houses in its city center, Ghent conveys the splendor of bygone days. Perhaps you will join an optional sightseeing tour that includes St. Bavo Cathedral with its world-famous painting of the altar of the citizens of Ghent and the "Belfried" with its bell tower. This afternoon, allow yourself to be transported back into medieval times with a leisurely-paced walking tour of Bruges, one of Europe's most perfectly preserved medieval cities. (B, L, D)

Day 7: Thursday, April 16, 2015 Antwerp Today the ship docks in Antwerp, Belgium's second-largest city, boasting beautiful Gothic and Baroque architecture and lively cafés. Antwerp is best known for its diamonds and also as the city of Peter Paul Rubens, who spent much of his life here. Join a local expert exploring Antwerp's historical sites including the "Liebfrauenkirche," Belgium's largest Gothic church; the legendary "Brabo" fountains; and Rubens' house. The afternoon is at leisure for shopping, independent exploration or an optional excursion to the Belgian capital of Brussels. Tonight, the captain welcomes you to the elegant Captain's Gala Dinner, immediately followed by an evening of dancing. (B, L, D)







Per Person

DON'T MISS OUT! BOOK NOW

Rates if booked by Aug. 11, 2014:

Lower Outside Cabin Rates: Double \$3,649 Middle Outside Cabin Rates: Double \$3,899 Upper Outside Cabin Rates: Double \$4,149

Suite Cabin Rates: Double \$4,449

Rates if booked after Aug. 11, 2014:

Lower Outside Cabin Rates: Double \$3,899 Middle Outside Cabin Rates: Double \$4,149 Upper Outside Cabin Rates: Double \$4,399

Suite Cabin Rates: Double \$4,699

Included in Price: Group Transportation to/from Boston Airport, Round Trip Air from Boston Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

Not included in price: Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$345 per person, Gratuities for Tour Manager, Bus Driver and Local Guides

* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Once deposited, you have 7 days to send us written consumer consent or withdraw consent and receive a full refund. (See registration form for consent.)

Day 8: Friday, April 17, 2015 Kinderdijk - Utrecht - Amsterdam A morning stop in Kinderdijk, a UNESCO World Heritage site, allows you to experience Holland's largest concentration of windmills, many still operating, and to get a revealing glimpse into Holland's age-old battle with the sea. After lunch, visit the world-famous Keukenhof Gardens, spanning more than 70 acres within a beautiful park of tranquil ponds and tree-shaded paths. With more than seven million tulips and other flowers on exhibit, Keukenhof is a kaleidoscope of color in bloom. Your day concludes with a farewell dinner and a typical Dutch folklore show celebrating the end of an unforgettable river cruise through Holland and Belgium. (B, L, D)

Day 9: Saturday, April 18, 2015 Amsterdam - Disembark Ship - Tour Ends Your tour ends today, leaving you with many pleasant memories of a wonderful vacation. (B)

Experience It! Keukenhof

Keukenhof – which means "kitchen garden" in Dutch – and which is also called the "Garden of Europe," is the world's largest flower garden. Situated on what were once 15th century royal hunting grounds, the current park was envisioned by the local mayor and opened in 1949 as a place for growers to show off their dazzling array of hybrid flowers. Each year, approximately 7 million flower bulbs are planted and grow on the grounds of this 80-acre park. Keukenhof is located in South Holland in the small town of Lisse, south of Haarlem and southwest of Amsterdam. Famous for its meandering lanes, canals, sculpted garden rows and seemingly endless array of starbursts of floral colors, a visit to the park is a once-in-a-lifetime attraction that draws more than 30 million visitors each year. The best time to view the tulips is from the end of March through early May, depending upon the weather.

For more information visit https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/591675

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Aug 11, 2014, valid on air inclusive packages only.

To complete your tour, we <u>include</u> roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing Collette airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your <u>own air</u>, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Cabins are available on lower (Haydn), middle (Strauss) and upper (Mozart) decks. Please note that river cruises are smaller ships and only have a finite number of each cabin category available. Specific categories are available on a first come, first served basis. Every effort will be made to accommodate your cabin choice at time of booking; however, if that cabin category is no longer available, the closest available category will be offered. Please see pricing for cost of any upgrade fees which will apply for different cabin categories. Suites (Amadeus Suites) and singles are available on a very limited basis. Triple accommodations are not available.

This itinerary is subject to change due to unforeseen changes in water levels, delays at the locks and other circumstances that may arise along the waterways. These changes may include items being missed during the trip; however, every effort will be made to substitute another attraction if possible.

Ports of call are subject to change based on pier availability and weather conditions. Embarkation on day 2 is after 3:00 PM; on day 9, disembarkation is normally at 9:00 AM.

Coffee or tea is included with all meals. Wine is included with every dinner. Gratuities for cabin stewards, bus boys and waiters on board the ship are not included and are at your discretion.

Smart casual wear is recommended throughout the trip. For the welcome and farewell dinners on the cruise, a dinner dress for the ladies and jacket & tie for the gentlemen are recommended. Comfortable walking shoes are recommended throughout the tour.

Due to various flight arrival times and the boarding time of the cruise ship, we have reserved meeting space at a centrally-located hotel where you will meet your tour manager and fellow travelers and relax before boarding your cruise ship.

This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more feisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs or on uneven walking surfaces should be expected.

The Cruise line reserves the right to charge a supplemental fuel charge. Should this charge be incurred, you will be notified in advance.

Air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

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RES#: 591675 TRAVEL DATE: 4/10/2015 TERRITORY: A7

For Reservations Contact: Cindy McGuire (860) 763-7427 Enfield Senior Center, 299 Elm St, Enfield, CT 06082-3907

Deposit of \$250 per person due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Final payment due by 12/11/2014. Please note: after deposited certain charges apply if you should cancel.

YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the <u>legal</u> name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel < passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes < Jr. Sr>.

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You can also find this information on your tour documents.